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NEW COLLEGE **WILL RETAIN** ITS IDENTITY

Plan for Union of Medical Schools Is Rejected.

BURNED BUILDING TO BE REPLACED

Trustees and Faculty of University College of Medicine Issue Statement After Long Session-No Interruption of Class Work-To Begin Work at Once.

Following an extended conference of the members of the faculty, adjunct University College of Medicine last night, announcement was made that it had been unanimously determined to rebuild the structure destroyed by fire in January, and to continue the operation of the codege as a separate educational institution. Work will begin to-morrow morning, and every effort will be made to have the class rooms ready for occupancy at the option of the fall term.

Dr. Stuart McGuire, president of the student body to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock in the amphitheatre of the student body to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock in the amphitheatre of the student body to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock in the amphitheatre of the student body to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock in the amphitheatre of the student body to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock in the amphitheatre of the student body to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock in the amphitheatre of the student body to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock in the amphitheatre of the student body to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock in the amphitheatre of the student body to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock in the amphitheatre of the student body to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock in the amphitheatre of the student body to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock in the amphitheatre of the mew plan will be fully outlined.

The meeting followed the rejection by the board of the Medical College of Virginia of the overtures for a union of the two institutions here, and was most enthusiastic and largely attended.

PEACE STAGE PASSED

and Clay Streets will be used, and architects will begin work on Monday morning. The meeting was a most enthusiastic one, and it is an assured fact that the work which has been so creditably carried on by this institution will be continued, with better facilities, larger equipment, and or will be continued.

re enthusiasm than ever."

Those Who Were Present.

There were present at the meeting or. Stuart McGuire, president of the college: Judge George L. Christian, ice-chairman of the board of trustees;

STRIKE NOT CALLED OFF

Question Will Be Settled by Vote at

Question Will Be Settled by Vote at Various Barns.

Philadelphia, Pa., April 16—Contrary to expectations the striking motormen and conductors of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company did not call off the strike at to-day's mass-meeting, but decided to put the question to a vote of all the men at the nineteen barns to-night and to-morrow. The result of the vote at each barn will be immediately sent to strike headquarters and it is expected that the poll will show a majority for a return to work. The atrike lenders hope to be able to make the vote public to-morrow afternoon, and they fully expect to see the men back at work early next week.

The meeting to-day was to ratify the action of the executive committee of the strikers of accepting the offer made by the traction company on March 20. C. O. Prait, national organizer of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Rajiway Employes, presided at the meeting. He urand the men to accept the proposition, and declared that it would result in an ultimate victory for them.

The main feature of the company's offer provides for a return of the men after which their grievines, including wages, will be taken up with committees. The 174 men whose discharge precipitated the strike are to be taken hack and their cases arbitrated. All men who cannot be immediately reinstated in their old places are to receive 32 a day until they receive a regular run.

LOCOMOTIVE EXPLODES

Safety Valve Serewed Down, Bringing

PEACE STAGE PASSED

Order Calling Men Out Is Expected

FOUGHT IN FOUR WARS

Widow of Remarkable Soldier Pen-

trict Again Even if He Wins Contest

LEAVES FIELD TO SAUNDERS

Comes as Great Surprise to Party Leaders-Not Known When Congress Will Pass on Contest From Virginia.

"No matter how my contest before Congress is ended, I will not be a candidate before the people in Novemfive children to rear and educate, and I cannot afford to continue in the

The announcement that Senator J. The announcement that Senator J.
M. Parsons, of Grayson, will withdraw definitely and permanently from
the political arena, will be of interest throughout the State, and comes
as a distinct surprise. It has been
taken for granted that he would oppose Congressman E. W. Saunders from

Senator Parsons is a guest Murphy's Hotel, having come of from Washington. He has bee that city on husiness, and while fessional business of his counsel senator John M. Thurston, of braska. The Senator said last

There seems to have been varying decisions on the proposition of redistricting flates for representatives in Congress, One decision in New Hampshire would indicate that a Legislature may rearrange districts at any time, while others favor the contention of the contestant that the taking of Floyd county from the Fifth District and adding it to the Sixth was illegal. Senator Parsons hopes, whatever the result may be, that the decision will hinge on the Floyd county matter, although he has other grounds, one of which is the candidacy of an insane man.

insane man. Two Possibilities.

Asked as to the probable nominee of his party for the seat, Senator Par-sons thought it likely that Dr. J. W. Simmons, of Henry, or M. V. Steadwhen Congressman Saunders made his first regular race, and was defeated out as dead. When the Seminole War broke out in 1826, Dennis was one of the first to enlist, He fought through was a dead. F

SENATOR PARSONS WINS FIRST ROUND HOLDS NO ILL WILL TO QUIT POLITICS IN GREAT BATTLE TOWARD "HISSERS"

Is Vindicated by D. A. R. Board.

SOCIETY SCANDAL COMING TO CRISIS THAT IT HAPPENED

Determination of Republican Miss Gerald, Discharged Employe, May Sue for \$200,000 Damages for Slander if She Is Defeated When Continental Congress Meets This Week.

> Washington, D. C. April 16 .- The Na-Daughters of the American Revolution

Won't Run in Fifth Dis-President-General Scott Taft Assures Suffragists He Has No "Personal Feeling."

REGRETS, HOWEVER

Will Work to Detriment of Suffrage Leaders-He Ac. knowledges Apology Ten.

He Listens to Plans of Southern Com night.

Mrs. Francis Squire Potter, the corresponding secretary, to-day received
the following letter from the President,
in answer to an apologetic letter last

acknowledge your favor of April 13.
I unite with you in regretting the inci-

olutions submitted and hope that the feature of Thursday night's meeting may soon be entirely forgotten.

"Sincerely yours."

son, the navy football player, died this morning. Wilson, who was from Covington, Ky, was injured October 16 last in the game against Villa Nova College. It was while making a flying tackle that the back of his neck struck violently against the ground. An examination revealed a fracture between the fourth and fifth cervical vertebracand the spinal cord was severely depressed, chusing complete paralysis from the shoulders down. An operation was performed by which the pressure on the spinal cord was relieved and hope was felt that this would bring about his recovery, but in vain, as the cord was felt that this would bring about his recovery, but in vain, as the cord was felt that this would bring about his recovery, but in vain, as the cord was padly lacerated.

After a fight that had been remarkable in many ways, what was pronounced the final sinking spell preceding the death of Midshipman Wilson began Thursday afternoon.

Functal services were held in the Naval Academy chapel at 2 o'clock this afternoon, and shortly thereafter the casket was carried in solemn procession to the railroad station, where the functal party took train for Covington. Ky. There interment will be made in the family lot some time on Monday.

In his order announcing the death Fears That Treatment of Him

dered by Convention.

Miss Johnston's Views.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Washington, D. C., April 16.—President William Howard Taft has, out of his generous good will, assured the members of the National Woman's Suffrage Association, in session here, that

TAFT INTERESTED

istens to Plans of Southern Com-mercial Congress.

shington, D. C., April 16.—Presi-Tart to-day received the execu-committee of the Southern Com-ial Congress, in season in this A full statement of the pur-of this patriotic endeavor was to him by President John M. Par-of New Orleans, and G. Grosvenor, in managing director, of Wash-n.

ASSEMBLY ADJOURNS

Football Player Loses in Game Fight Against Death. Annapolls, Md., April 16.—Earl Wilson, the navy football player, deal in norning. COL. ROOSEVELT

Believed to Have Made Call on Order From Rome.

VISIT MAYCLOSE BREACH WITH POPE

Rumored That Emperor of Aus. tria Has Had Hand in Bring. ing About Better Feeling. Vienna Is Filled With Speculation Over Incident.

[Special Cable to The Times-Dispatch.] Vienna, April 16.—The most significant event of Colonel Roosevett's visit here to-day was the official call made by Granita Del Belmonte, the Papal by Granita Del Belmonte, the Papal Nuncio at the court of Austria, upon Colonel Roosevelt at the Hotel Bristol, after a luncheon given by Ambassador Kerens. The call lasted three-quarters of an hour, during which Colonel Roosevelt and the Nuncio were in almost continuous conversation.

Vienna to-night is naturally filled with speculation of the import of the visit. The general inclination is to consider that it marks a healing of the breach between Colonel Roosevelt, and the Vatican, which was opened so

the breach between Colonel Roosevelt and the Vatican, which was opened so explosively upon his arrival at Rome. Others endeavor to minimize the importance, and say it was merely a call of courtesy, without any relation or significance to the Vatican Incident. But this theory is not held by those intimate with matters at the Austrian court and the Vatican.

Emperor Intervenes.

It is felt the Nuncio would not have called unless he had received direct orders from Rome to do so. His orders are believed to be due to the intervention of the Emperor, who desired to bring about peace between his American guest and the Vatlean, whereof he is such a firm supporter. The visit was arranged last night and carefully kept secret. It was intended to have the arranged last hight and carefully Rept. secret. It was intended to have the Nuncio at luncheon, but owing to a previous engagement the Nuncio could not accept, but said he would be delighted to call upon Colonet Roosevelt afterwards at the Hotel Bristol. His anxiety to see Roosevelt was apparent from a later incident. The Nun-

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